

THE HAMLIN HERALD

IN 31ST YEAR—EVERY WEEK SINCE 1905.

HAMLIN, JONES COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MARCH 27, 1936.

NUMBER

PROCLAMATION BY THE MAYOR

The week of March 29th to April 4th, inclusive, has been designated as:

SPRING FIRE PREVENTION AND CLEAN-UP WEEK

This is Centennial Year in Texas and a Spring Clean-Up Campaign should receive the enthusiastic support of every man, woman and child.

FIRST — Every citizen should have a wholesome pride in his home city, its streets, playgrounds, parks and buildings. Homes and surroundings freshly painted, with well kept lawns and gardens, increase property values and intensify community interest. Cleanliness creates cheer, courage and confidence.

SECONDLY, because every dollar in property destroyed by fire, which frequently is the result of "careless" housekeeping in the home and in the average place of business, is a serious drain upon our present economic condition.

THIRDLY, and humanly most important, because in the past ten years entirely too many of our citizens have lost their lives due to carelessness in their daily use of fire, and the preservation of human life is an important matter.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Joe Culbertson, Mayor of the city of Hamlin, do hereby designate the week of March 29th to April 4th, inclusive, as SPRING FIRE PREVENTION and CLEAN-UP WEEK and most respectfully call upon all departments of the city, the Chamber of Commerce, Civic Clubs, Patriotic Clubs and our people in general to take an active part in this Clean-Up Campaign.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereto sign my name and seal of office this the 24th day of March, A. D. 1936.

JOE CULBERTSON, Mayor,
Hamlin, Texas.

ATTEST:

J. B. EAKIN, City Secretary.

FOR SALE OF TRADE

Have a 32 volt washing machine and a 4-burner Nesco oil cook stove—both in good shape, for sale or trade.

T. P. MILSAP,
Across St. from Light Plant. (p)

BAKE SALE

Saturday, March 28—10:00 A. M. Sponsored by South Hamlin Home Demonstration Club. Pies—cakes—baked beans.

At
ENSEY-CARLTON GROCERY.



P.T.A.

Thursday, April 2nd, at 4:00 P. M. at the High School, will be the regular meeting of P.T.A. Important business matters to attend to, and every member urged to be present.

Our District President, Mrs. James B. Day, of Rotan, will be the main speaker and bring us an interesting and inspirational message. Visitors are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

NOTICE

I am ready to service your car with Conoco Gas and Oils at the old Chandler Station on the Stamford highway. Also would like to sell you groceries. Have a good line—will appreciate your business.

H. A. PERKINS.

Mrs. S. K. Dillard had as guests the latter part of last week, her daughters, Mrs. Sharp, of San Angelo, Mrs. Pearl Rudder, of Greenstaff, New Mexico, and also her grand children, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rudder and baby, of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mrs. Bill Rudder of New Mexico.

If you want to trade bright Maize for Jersey heifers see

STARR INZER.

CLAIMING CREDIT NOT DUE REVIVAL PROGRESSES

Dear Editor:

Last week in Baird, Stephenville, and other place, a Texas newspaper writer named Julien Capers, Jr. published an unfounded article incorrectly asserting:

"A favorable report from the House ways and means committee on an appropriation for \$125,000,000 to state highway progress marked a victory for the Texas Association of County Judges headed by Judge Garrett of Eastland. They appealed directly to Congressman Cannon",

The following from Chairman Cannon shows how untrue is the above statement:

Washington, D. C. March 16, 1936
DEAR MRS. MARX:

"The article Julien Capers, Jr. sent your Texas newspapers is so absurd it is ridiculous. The Ways & Means Committee made no report whatever on the road provision in my recent bill passed by the House, and has nothing whatever to do with appropriations. Neither Clyde Garrett, nor any other County Judge from Texas, had anything whatever to do with the appropriation for public roads carried in my bill, and in no way influenced any item on it. During the years Judge Blanton has

been on the Appropriations Committee, he has heartily supported the appropriation made each year for improved highways in Texas, and he helped me to pass our Bill in the House. The appropriation for public roads in Texas would have been in the Bill if Clyde Garrett had never been born.

Clarence Cannon, Chairman." Although Judge Blanton has been his friend for 30 years, Clyde Garrett did not come near our office while in Washington. He spent much of his time having his picture taken on the Capitol steps, and in going up the Potomac to see Walter Johnson throw a dollar across the river.

Judge Blanton sent Garrett a cordial invitation by Judge Oscar Dancy to be his guest at the Texas Delegation's bi-monthly luncheon, but a young lady rang me up from the hotel stating she was Clyde Garrett's secretary, and that he asked to be excused, as it would be impossible for him to attend, yet Clyde Garrett did appear at the luncheon, and Judge Blanton cordially introduced him to the Texas Members, and paid for Garrett's lunch. Judge Blanton clearly explained to said County Judges that their trip would be without results, as for weeks he had been urging Harry Hopkins and the President to rescind their rule which prevented men not on relief from getting WPA jobs.

During this luncheon Congressman Milton West asked Judge Garrett if he were supporting the Townsend Plan, and Clyde Garrett replied very emphatically that he was not.

LOUISE K. MARX, Secretary.

METHODIST CHURCH

NOT DUE REVIVAL PROGRESSES

We are now well into the first week of the meeting and are pleased with the response you are giving. The congregation has grown each service both in numbers and interest. People are coming from each of the churches in town and are very kind in their expression of appreciation of the messages and good song service with the excellent specials by Mr. Milby.

Since our time is very limited to have these men with us, we would like to insist that you avail yourself of hearing these good messages and songs. Evangelists are busy men and can give but little time in any one community, yet there is an advantage to the local people in that while they are here they give the very "Heart" of their broad experiences and deep consecration to the congregation. Our modern day wants things in brief and with but little trimmings. We live so hurriedly that there is but little time for non-essentials.

The services are held at 10:00 A. M. on week days and 11:00 A. M. Sundays. The evening services are 7:45. The Young People and children have their services at 7:15 and the Prayer meetings are 7:15 for the adults.

Come and enjoy any of these services with us and, if you have a spiritual need—the most of us do, talk to the Great Physician about it. Let's refresh our souls while the opportunity is ours. We will be looking for you.

H. A. LONGINO, Pastor.

To the above the Herald will add that the evangelist, Rev. Callis, and his song leader, Mr. Clay Milby have made "quite a hit" in this community. If we get it right, they are from Kentucky, and this is their first time in the great West Texas. When they left their state it was cold and rainy and by the time they reached Fort Worth, "where the West begins," it was so warm and balmy that they thought they had reached Florida. It has been very nice weather here since they came, except a little breeze a day or two. Really, we believe these fellows will never like old Kentucky as long as memories dwell on their stay in this great Lone Star State.



DR. O. H. CALLIS
Have you heard him preach? He says things a little different. There is time yet for you, but you had better hurry. Rev. Callis has become quite popular with all who have had the pleasure of meeting him. He has made two talks before the service clubs of the city this week and proven he is a lover of men and anxious for their welfare.



CLAY MILBY, Song Leader

Have you heard this man sing? If again,

NEW LUMBER YARD

OPENING IN HAMLIN THIS WEEK

Since the discontinuance of the Gray Lumber Yard in Hamlin the yard buildings and office and warehouse has been leased by the John T. Day & Son, Inc., a hardware firm of Hamlin. This company has also used the coal bins and rail road tracks for the use of coal and most of the yard has been used for the storage of farm implements connected with the sale of new tractors.

THE NEW FIRM

This week a new lumber firm is fast converting the old-time lumber yard again into a new yard. The "HOME LUMBER COMPANY, Inc." has at the top of their letter head the names of JOHN ED DAY, RAY WILLINGHAM and GARLAND H. TUMLIN. These men are all home boys and have lived here so long that they need no introductions. We might say, however, that Ray Willingham has had eight years in the lumber business, is an experienced bookkeeper and has been assisting in the clerical department at the John T. Day store for a year or more. These "young men" are very jealous of their "name." They want it distinctly understood that their company is an independent, separate institution to any other, incorporated as "Home Lumber Company of Hamlin." They will carry on their business in the offices of the former Gray Lumber Yard, using the new telephone number, 43, to contact their customers.

Messrs. Day, Willingham and Tumlin are making their formal announcement this week in a half page ad, which they wish all readers of the Herald to notice. It looks like business is going to "pick up" and these Hamlin fellows are getting in while the "water is fine."

NAZARENE CHURCH

Young People's "Zone Rally" Sunday, March 29. Eight churches will be represented in this meeting. Sunday School interest will be represented as well as the Nazarene Young People's work.

Rev. Jno. L. Knight will be the main speaker in the morning session. A number of good papers will be read in the afternoon session.

J. H. WHITAKER, Pastor.

LETTER FROM MR. COLLIER

March 25, 1936

Mr. Pope:
Please change my paper to Abilene, Gen. Del. Would like to have one this week. Am feeling much better and am as fat as Judge Rogers. Hope business is good in Hamlin.

Yours truly,
W. W. COLLIER.

LETTER FROM MR. TANSEY

2671 Broadway

Beaumont, Texas

March 24, 1936

Dear Mr. Pope:
Was sorry to hear of you losing your pet dog, which I have just read in your paper. Wonder if you are having some old-time dust storms in the Hamlin country. Not much rain over in this wet place. Best wishes to you and yours. Am sending you check to pay on paper.

Your friend,
J. W. TANSEY.

Miss Doris Pope, student in Texas State College for Women, returned home Thursday to spend the Spring holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bowen Pope. She was accompanied by her room-mate, Miss Ruth Folse, of Kansas City, Mo., who will be her guest during the holidays.

so, you will agree with US, that he is a live wire, as well as Evangelist. He really is at home, with the choir folks and never lacks for a word—music "rings" from him. Are you going to hear him? He will continue his good work a few more days along with the Evangelist. Take a hunch—go hear his singing and get your blood to circulating

ATTENTION!

EX-SERVICE MEN

The Herald has been informed that Rev. J. H. Whitaker, pastor of the local Nazarene church has resigned his position to take effect on May 1.

All Ex-service men are invited to be present at the Model Hotel Monday night, March 30th, at eight o'clock sharp. Mr. R. S. Daniels, field as yet to which he will go, State Committeeman of the 17th but next week he is leaving for Tucson, Arizona, to conduct a meeting, us for the purpose of helping in the and it is very likely that that city re-organization of the Keifer Post person Post of the American Legion.

The Herald will say for Brother Whitaker, that he has spent a number of very fine years in Hamlin, and we have found him one of the hardest working pastors this city has ever had. He says that if he is not located at Tucson as pastor that place will be a "home Mission place till the assembly meets in Wichita Falls next November. He says:

"I will take this occasion to again thank all our friends for their friendship and for helping in our building program."

J. H. WHITAKER.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Young, Alta Young and Rubye Raney returned home Monday from Fort Worth and Lake Dallas, where they spent the last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Horace Moore and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bridges, and taking in the Stock Show.

Miss Geraldine Whitaker and Miss Pearl Morris, students in Bethany-Peniel College, at Bethany, Oklahoma, were here this week to spend a short vacation with Miss Whitaker's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Whitaker and Miss Morris' aunt, Mrs. Emma Kirtley.

A GOOD SERVICE STATION WITH GOOD MANAGEMENT

The T-P Station at the end of the Main Street on the Rotan Road and Highway 4 is a thing of beauty and the products are always guaranteed satisfactory. We are new in Hamlin but experience in servicing cars. Try our station once and see how you like US. We offer you service as well as good products. Your business will be appreciated.

SPECIAL OFFER: From NOW till April 1—we will give you FREE a quart of THURMAR OIL with each 10 gallon purchase of gasoline.

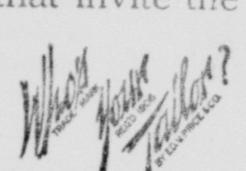
H. O. McCRAY.

MEN

ATTENTION

The women, too, will be interested in THIS announcement.

For clothes that invite the question



come to our big

TAILORING DISPLAY SALE

by

J. W. Tansey

Largest Tailors in the World of
GOOD Made-to-Order Clothes

See all the new woolens and the new styles.

Have your clothes correctly tailored to order FOR YOU by this nationally known firm.

Their representative Mr. R. C. Lemons

will be here:

Thursday, April 2

Bryant-Link Co.

"52 YEARS IN JONES CO."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING

OF HAMLIN'S "HOME LUMBER Co., Inc."

GENERAL BUILDING MATERIALS

RAY WILLINGHAM

"HOME OWNED—HOME MANAGED"

JOHN ED DAY

GARLAND H. TUMLIN

—We make our bow this week to the building public of all the Hamlin trade territory. We are unloading many cars of new lumber and all kinds of building materials — ever ything needed in your construction.

—Let us know your needs—we will be glad to furnish estimations and suggestions on your job.

Home Lumber Company, Inc.

Located In Gray Lumber Yard Place

HAMLIN, TEXAS

PHONE 43

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NOTICE

TO DELINQUENT

CITY TAX PAYERS

MARCH 31st, 1936 IS DEADLINE FOR PAYING CITY TAXES WITHOUT PENALTY AND INTEREST.

We have been very lenient with delinquent tax payers in the enforcement of collections and the remission of penalty and interest, but we are now confronted with the necessity of raising more money in order to carry on the City Government.

We do not want to be unduly hard on any one but these delinquent taxes must be paid.

Arrange to pay your city taxes now and save the penalty and interest, also save the city the expense of employing a Tax Attorney.

CITY COUNCIL. (17-6t)

How Cardui Helps Women To Build Up

Cardui stimulates the appetite and improves digestion, helping women to get more strength from the food they eat. As nourishment is improved, strength is built up, certain functional pains go away and women praise Cardui for helping them "look to good health." . . . Mrs. C. E. Stiff, of Hinton, W. Va., writes:

"After the birth of my last baby, I did not seem to get my strength back. I took Cardui again and was soon sound and well. I have given it to my daughters and recommend it to other ladies." . . . Thousands of women testify Cardui benefited them. If it does not benefit YOU, consult a physician.

OUR SENATOR

HONORED BY LEGION

Senator Wilbourne B. Collie, of Eastland, has been signally honored by the American Legion of Texas; he was advised last week by receipt of a certificate of distinguished service, and a letter accompanying same.

The award and recognition were made some months ago but the certificate has been in transit to the various officials of the organization for signatures. It is signed by H. Miller Ainsworth, Commander of Texas, by authority of the Executive Committee; Fred Young, Adjutant, and A. Garland Adair, Chairman, by authority of the Board of

Directors of the American Legion Centennial Committee.

The certificate is a beautiful parchment, 9x12 inches, printed in the National colors, and bears the great seal of the American Legion. It is headed "Certificate of Distinguished Service to Texas by Senator Wilbourne B. Collie of Eastland, Texas, this award is gratefully tendered."

The letter expressed appreciation of "your assistance in rendering this distinguished, valuable and permanent service for Texas."

S. C. (BUD) FERGUSON CANDIDATE FOR CO. COMMISSIONER

TO THE VOTERS OF
PRECINCT NO. 1, JONES CO.

In asking for the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, will say that I have been in the county 38 years and I have never held any public office except that of school trustee.

As to my experience and qualifications for the office of Commissioner, will say that I have been connected with road building off and on for 34 years. In 1929-30-31, was on the State Highways, doing grading and drainage work, which taught me how to build good roads and build them conservatively.

Fully realizing that there are other important things to be looked after in the Precinct and the County besides roads, I will assure you each and everything will have my careful consideration, especially regarding the finances of this Precinct and County. I feel that I am experienced enough and able to look into every proposition and act in a business way for the best interests of the taxpayers of the county.

I ask the voters of Precinct No. 1 to seriously consider my candidacy for Commissioner and any consideration given me will be very much appreciated.

Respectfully,
S. C. (Bud) FERGUSON.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Below are names of persons declaring themselves candidates for office, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries, of 1936.

FOR:

COUNTY TREASURER:
GEO. W. CONNELL
FRANK POWELL
G. C. RUSSELL

COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 1:
JOHN C. TURNER (Re-Election)
G. D. RANEY.
S. C. (Bud) FERGUSON

COUNTY ATTORNEY:
GILBERT SMITH (Re-Election).

ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR:
ROLAND L. DUNWODY.

DISTRICT CLERK:
ROBERT CROSS (Re-Election).

COUNTY JUDGE:
OMAR T. BURLESON
(Re-Election).

FOR SHERIFF JONES CO.
JIM LEE GORDON (Re-Election)

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE:
G. E. JOHNSON
TRAVIS DEAN

Fisher County

FOR COMMISSIONER,
PRECINCT NO. 2

T. N. HEMPHILL
A. A. CALLAWAY
TARLTON WILLINGHAM
E. C. WALDROP

"We ought to know by now that our well being depends, in the long run, upon the well being of our neighbors."

—PRES. ROOSEVELT.

Respectfully,
S. C. (Bud) FERGUSON.

COTTON SEED

I have a lot of good, well matured cotton seed for planting, for sale. These seed were ginned early last fall and have been CULLED.

RAY WILLINGHAM,
at John T. Day & Son.
(20-4t)

TAX NOTICE

The City Council has set MARCH 31st, 1936, as the last day in which to pay city taxes without penalty and interest. Pay your city taxes now, save the penalty and interest, and help your city.

J. B. EAKIN,
City Tax Collector. (17-6t)

FOR SALE

One six-foot Frigidaire, one Gas Range, one Electric Washer, and a Singer Sewing Machine, each and all at a bargain, address or see D. N. JONES,
Rt. 2, Plasterco. (21-2p)

FOR TRADE

I have several lots in Hamlin to trade for a small farm, apply to H. A. STACY, Hamlin (20-3p)

FOR

Your Health

SEE

Dr. R. B. Dedmon
—CHIROPRACTOR—

Better Cars Better Prices Better Terms

1340 North
First St.

F. W. COUCH

PH. 5642
RES. 4179

ABILENE, TEXAS

OPEN EVENINGS AND SUNDAY

LARGEST USED CAR DEALER IN THE WEST

TRADE—TERMS

QUICK AUTO LOANS

Society and Clubs

WOMAN'S LITERARY CLUB

ENTERTAINED WITH ART TEA

The Woman's Literary Club entertained Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. Henry Littleton on Jackson Avenue, with an art tea, honoring Mrs. Ruby Conway McIntosh, of Abilene, and presented a collection of her paintings to 150 guests.

A centennial theme was featured in all decorations, while baskets and vases of snap dragons and other spring flowers gave the floral touch to the rooms.

Guests were welcomed by Mrs. Littleton and presented to Mrs. J. Frank Johnson, president of the club. Others in the receiving line were Mrs. W. M. Green, a charter member of the club and Mrs. W. R. Calhoun, the incoming president. Mrs. Henry Albritton led the way to the living room where Mrs. Tate May, presented the artist, Mrs. McIntosh.

Mrs. R. D. Moore Jr. invited guests into the dining room where Mrs. W. A. Albritton and Mrs. B. W. Brundage presided at the tea table, assisted by Mrs. S. C. Ferguson and Mrs. C. Weldon Griggs. The table was laid with a cloth of Italian cut work, with an attractive arrangement of red geraniums, white sweet peas and blue corn flowers forming the centerpiece.

Miss Allie Whiteley presented favors which were hand painted miniature blue bonnet pictures. Other club members who assisted in receiving guests and exploiting the pictures were Mmes. E. F. Fairey, Ira Clements, Bowen Poole, Oscar Maples, Ted Armstrong, Joe Simpson and Dewey Gildon.

Mrs. McIntosh, a private teacher of art in Abilene, and a former teacher in McMurry College, presented 30 of her original paintings. One of her pictures that received much admiration was "Calla Lillies." This painting is to be formally presented to the Hunt Memorial Library, April 4. Another picture, "Pigeon Blood and Cloisonne," was a water color painting of some rare vases owned by Mrs. W. W. Hair, of Abilene. This picture was exhibited in the Ney Museum in Austin. Other painting in the collection were nature scenes, typical of the varied interest and beauty of western life.

During the afternoon, piano music was furnished by Mrs. Walter J. Cluny and Mrs. Maurice Smith. Goodbyes were said by Mrs. R. B. Wiar and Mrs. Gordon Bennett.

Out of town guests were Mmes. O. J. Cotton, W. A. Stephenson and grateful to the eye.

A smile is like the bright spring grass. Easiest to produce but most

Scientists say that kissing is dangerous, but who says we are a race of cowards?

We often let our friends impose on us so that we may enjoy the return privilege of imposing on them.

It is easy to march in the Parade of Fools.

The South Hamlin Club will meet with Mrs. Pat Allen, March 25th at 2:30 p. m. Roll call State Banks Program, Wool scouring.

More than 100 different kinds of crops are grown on Texas farms on which there is commercial production from approximately 45. Their importance will be stressed in harvest festivals planned during Centennial year.

"With Ford dealers the day of the 'used car' is gone," according to Joe Culbertson, local Ford dealer. He says, "You are now offered an exclusive new standard of automotive quality in R&G cars, which you may buy with as much confidence, and assurance as a completely new automobile."

"This new term—R&G—stands for Renewed and Guaranteed. It means that each car offered under it must meet a rigid set of specifications as to mechanical condition and appearance. And the result is a product so fine that it can be sold with a written guarantee of 'Satisfaction or Your Money Back!'"

"Under this guarantee, you are the judge of the car's quality. After purchase you may drive it two days, and put it to any driving test you please. If it fails to measure up to your expectations in any way, you may return it to your Ford dealer's and have your money refunded in full—cheerfully, and with no questions asked."

"In addition, you will receive a written service warranty as a further protection. This double guarantee removes the elements of doubt and uncertainty that have troubled buyers of used cars for years."

"Now you can know the facts before you buy. There's no need to rely on the opinion of someone else, or trust to verbal claims. You KNOW what you're getting for your money when you select an R&G car or truck at your Ford dealers."

For extra-thrifty buyers your Ford Dealer has **SQUARE DEAL** VALUES—good used cars and trucks at low prices, protected by a written money-back guarantee.

CARS & TRUCKS
RENEWED & GUARANTEED
ALL MAKES

MONEY BACK GUARANTEE

(Signed) YOUR FORD DEALER

SOLD ONLY BY AUTHORIZED FORD DEALERS

MECHANICAL GUARANTEE

"We agree to correct at our expense any condition in this car or truck which is not in accordance with the above specifications, provided that we are notified by the purchaser of this condition within ten days from this date, and further provided that such condition is not the result of accident, neglect, or abuse of the car or truck after delivery to the customer, and that the car or truck has not been repaired or altered outside of our shop during the guarantee period."

MONEY-BACK GUARANTEE

"We further agree that we will refund such part of the purchase price of the car or truck as has been paid by the purchaser, including any used car or truck applied as part payment or, at our option, the allowance price thereof in cash, thereby canceling the sale if the purchaser so requests; provided that this request is made by the purchaser at or before 12 o'clock on March 25, 1934, and the car or truck is then returned to us in the same condition as when delivered."

(Signed) YOUR FORD DEALER

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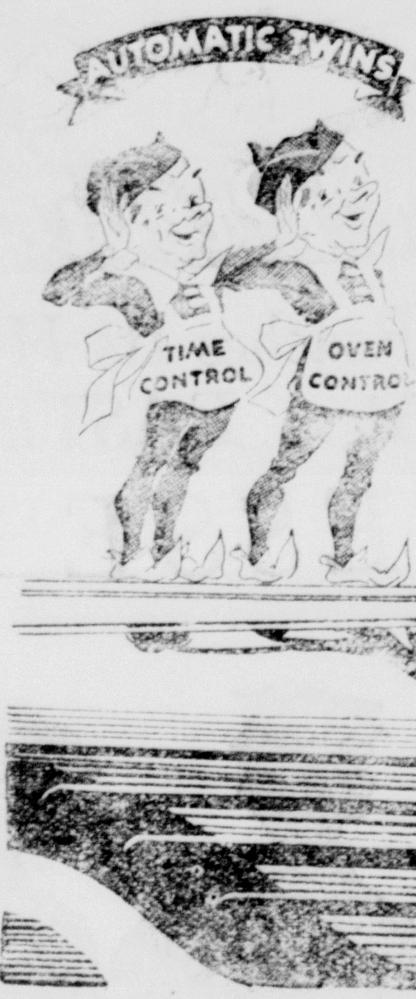
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Dinner's all ready!

The Automatic Electric Range Is the Answer!

Every member of the family appreciates wholesome, well-cooked food. It's necessary to health! However, few people realize, except the housewife, the toil and drudgery necessary to prepare three meals a day. Just think of preparing over a thousand meals a year beside the many other laborious duties of a housewife.

Many West Texas homemakers have found a happy solution in the elimination of unnecessary toil in the kitchen. Today, the modern mother can place an entire meal in the oven of her range, set the oven control and time control and return home hours later to find a "piping hot" meal ready to serve. This is the marvel of automatic electric cookery!

West Texas Utilities Company

Teacher—Where was the Declaration of Independence signed?
Willie (after silence)—At the bottom.

Riddler—Do you think a man should confess all his thoughts and actions to his wife?

Fiddler—That would be a waste of time. She already knows all the thoughts and her neighbors will tell her of his actions.

4-H club boys and girls are busy on Texas farms and ranches these days doing almost every kind of thing that is worth doing in agriculture and homemaking.

Thinking more of work than worry is a fine way to be rid of worry.

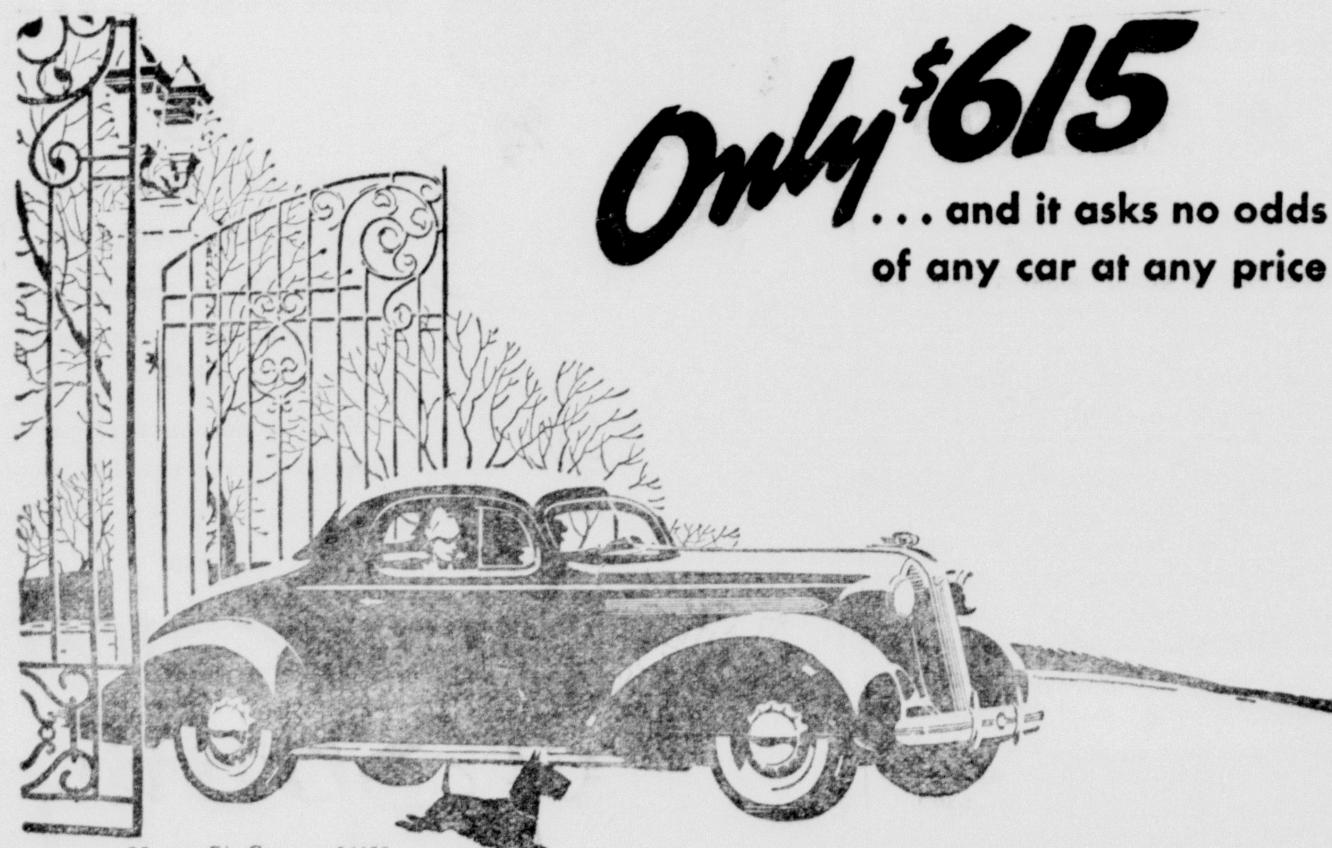
The groom at the wedding, like an automobile engine, is unseen but very necessary to make the thing go.

"Yes," the teacher explained, "quite a number of plants and flowers have the prefix 'dog.' For instance, the dog rose and the dog violet are well known. Can you name another?"

There was silence, then a happy look illuminated the face of a boy at the end of the class.

"Please, Miss," he called out,

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ON TEXAS FARMS

BY MINNIE FISHER CUNNINGHAM

Extension Service Editor

Lawrence Novak of Montgomery County, is specializing in budding and grafting fruit and nut trees. He has plums, peaches, pears and English walnuts as well as 30 pecan trees in his orchard.

—4H—

In Wharton County 77 4-H club boys and girls landscaped the new Extension Building and some other buildings at the county fair grounds. They put out 256 native and nursery shrubs in one day.

—4H—

In Harris county there are 18 4-H boys' club which have an enrollment of 365 boys. These boys in their individual demonstrations are working with 35 dairy calves, 55 beef calves, 60 pigs, 10 sheep and 12,156 chickens and turkeys.

—4H—

In Maragorda County, Kathleen Henigan, garden demonstrator for a girls' 4-H club is trying out a new variety of tomatoes this year as well as planting some "old reliables." Kathleen has 400 cabbage plants out already, and three rows of onions grown from seed.

A new girls' 4-H club in Fort Bend

County has a 100 per cent record so far in attendance for every meeting and in bringing up the work assigned.

On Texas farms and ranches they are planning to put into operation the new Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act. And along with all the rest of the State they are celebrating the Centennial.

As they walk their field and ride their fences thinking about the soil and deciding what lands to withdraw from depleting crops, will they be a bit rueful as they remember that only one hundred years have passed over the State? The ruin wrought by erosion would not have come so soon if better care had been taken.

Cotton—hailed as king; and cotton seed, the recognized crown prince of King Cotton's reign, have been such staunch crops that it has been easier to allow them full sway than for each of us to think our way through the problem of each piece of land for which we were responsible.

But like all monarchs left by their subjects to their own devices they have tended to become tyrants and act on the "after me the deluge" plan.

With the present and future good of the land and all whose security rests on its continued fertility and productivity, cotton has come to be classified on performance as a soil depleting crop.

With the understanding of its effect on the soil it may still be a tremendously valuable crop. But the wise farmer will not plant and re-plant any piece of land in it year after year.

Instead he will co-operate with his government to preserve the nation's greatest national resource—rich, productive agricultural lands.

WEST TEXAS COTTON

GROWERS ASSOCIATION

In order to maintain a fair and equitable representation of the membership of the West Texas Cotton Growers Association, the Board of Directors has divided the territory of the Association into nine districts, the same as in previous years, for the election of directors for the next ensuing year.

District Number Two (2), comprising the Counties of Jones, Shackelford, and Stephens, will hold its convention at the Court House in Anson, Texas, Saturday, March 21, 1936, at 2:00 P. M., for the purpose of making nominations for the election of a director, representing this district. The nominee or nominees so selected at this meeting will be immediately certified to the Secretary of the West Texas Cotton Growers Association, Abilene, Texas, after which postal card ballots will be prepared and mailed to all members in the district, bearing the names of the nominees, and which procedure will enable each and every member to vote individually for his preference.

At the Annual Meeting of the members to be held in Abilene, Texas, on April 14, 1936, 1:00 P. M., the nominees selected at the District Meeting will be voted upon and elected.

According to information received from the present director in this district Mr. C. W. Bartlett, of Anson, Texas, it is expected and urged that every member of the Association attend this district convention and participate in the selection of the Director who will represent them upon the Board of the West Texas Cotton Growers Association.

Misses Vincie and Nettie Bowen and Mrs. Dan Howard visited relatives in Strawn Sunday.

MIGHTY TELESCOPE FOR TEXAS

When the great McDonald telescope, now under construction, is finally installed on the top of Mt. Locke in Western Texas, astronomers will be able to peer into the heavens one million times farther than one can see with the naked eye.

The telescope, according to the Cleveland Trust Magazine, will be the second largest reflector telescope in the world. The giant mirror, which will gather light rays from the limitless heavens is 82 inches in diameter, 13 inches thick and weighs 3 tons. On its face will be a finely burnished surface of aluminum.

Photographs taken with the telescope may require from 6 to 10 hours exposure and will be taken of stars as much as 900,000 light years away. A light year is 186,000 thousand miles (the distance light travels in a second) multiplied by the number of seconds in a year; and such star photographs form the basis of astronomical research.

By the will of W. J. McDonald of Paris, Texas, \$900,000 was left for the construction of the observatory and telescope for the University of Texas; the work was entrusted to Warner & Swasey of Cleveland, manufacturers of turret lathes of high precision but no less famous the world over as makers of mighty telescopes; and the observatory and telescope will be operated in co-operation with the University of Chicago.

—NATIONAL JEWELER.

EXPRESSION OF THANKS

Back at home again. I have been away 3 months and I want to thank all of my friends and neighbors and my dear children, for all they did for me while I was sick. I also want to thank the sisters of the church and Mr. and Mrs. Pribble for the beautiful flowers they sent me while I was sick. I want to thank Mrs. Waine, also Mrs. Anderson for the beautiful flowers and other good deeds they did for us while I was sick. I want to thank Dr. Bynum for being so faithful to me. Good doctoring and good nursing is all that pulled me through. And I also want to thank Mr. Barrow for his kindness.

May God bless each and everyone of you is my prayer,

MRS. A. G. GRIFFIN.

MODEL CENTENNIAL BAND

HAS BEEN SELECTED

ABILENE, March 19.—The Cow-boy Band of Hardin-Simmons University has been selected as the "Model Texas Centennial Exposition Band," W. A. Webb, general manager of the exposition, has announced. The band will play concerts in all of the major cities of the state advertising the Centennial.

The Hardin-Simmons organization was selected from a list of bands submitted from throughout the state.

Marion B. McClure of Amarillo, is conductor. The band played its first centennial engagement last week at the San Angelo Fat Stock Show and Rodeo. Concerts have also been played in Arizona and New Mexico during the past month.

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1929 Chevrolet Coupe in good condition, body, tires, and motor in good condition. Will sell at a bargain.

W. H. BUTLER,
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Mrs. W. R. Curry, of Oklahoma City, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. R. B. Wiar, of the Shell Station.

Your Protection Secure

And that you may have immediate relief, should some of your family be called by death, is what we have so untiringly striven for.

HOW WELL WE HAVE SUCCEDED, is evidenced by the MORE THAN THREE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED POLICY-HOLDERS, we have gained since last October 18th, and we are happy to say that OUR RESERVE is sufficient to protect you amply.

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FRESHMAN CLASS REPORT

The following was the program for the Freshman assembly Wednesday, March 25:

1. Tumbling by members of the Physical Training class, directed by Mrs. Milstead.

2. Poems were recited by Jimmie Fluellen, Dorothy Gardner, John Taylor and Pauline Shelton.

3. A Spanish song by members of the first year Spanish class, directed by Miss LeSear.

4. Other poems by Elsie Milcher and Bernice Allen. Floy Hudson gave the poem which won second place in Junior Declamation.

The following Freshmen won places at the County meet:

Floy Hudson won second place in Junior Declamation, Jack Russell—first place in Junior Tennis, Brookie

Pitcock first place in the hundred yard dash and Emory Brown second place in Junior Tennis.

KING'S DAUGHTERS

What do we need most?

Isn't it deeper love one for another, and the ability to see and appreciate the divine elements in this life?

Want every member of the King's Daughters Class present Sunday morning. Had a splendid class last Sunday and a helpful lesson. Come and learn your part in helping to extend God's kingdom.

Are you attending the revival? Come and bring someone with you.

—REPORTER.

A day is not complete unless you have communed with God.

Model Cash Gro.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SPECIALS

Flour CHERRY BELL 48 Pounds **\$1.79**

Sugar Pure Cane 25 Pounds **\$1.35**

Folgers Coffee 2 Lb. Can **62c**

Soap P. & G., and Crystal White LARGE BARS—6 For **25c**

Lard 8 Pound Carton **98c**

Beans Pintos 10 Pounds **45c**

Spuds 10 Pounds **22c**

K.C. Baking Powder 50c Size **39c**

Green Beans CAN **10c**

English Peas CAN **10c**

Corn Fancy **10c**

Mother's Coco 2 Pounds **19c**

—SEE US for your CHICKEN FEED.

We have a full line for your baby chicks. We will have with us Saturday Mr. Davis, a man that can give you advice on your Poultry Raising. Come in and have a talk with him. It will be worth your time.

HAMLIN MISSION NOTES

Greetings to our friends throughout our nation where the good old Hamlin Herald circulates. Many in other states have stated to me that they enjoy any news from the Mission, and are disappointed when we fail to furnish the news. We appreciate this and will try to do better.

We are still experiencing some blessed days in our services. The last two Sundays have been unusual time of refreshing from on high. Good attendance and blessed fellowship.

Wide awake citizens in many of our towns and cities are taking quite an interest in selecting, and beautifying attractive parks to furnish a quiet restful place for their own people and those who may pass that way, where beautiful nature can smile away our cares and send us on our way rejoicing. This is a wonderful enterprise and should be encouraged. But this is not enough, there is still a more important need than this, the spiritual man is looking for a place as he journeys along through life's rugged way, where he too, can turn aside and find that rest that man's soul requireth, such a place the faithful workers of the Hamlin Mission are endeavoring to maintain to meet this last need.

Will give you an incident that will help you to appreciate what I am trying to say. One night some time ago, an intelligent looking, well dressed man came into the mission and took a back seat. He had been attracted by the singing over the loud speaker as he wandered, a stranger in a strange land. He was profoundly touched and at the close of the service, as the invitation was being sung, he came and knelt at the altar of prayer; after about an hour of agonizing prayer he arose with victory in his heart. Listen to his story. He was a backslidden preacher, had lost his way, separated from his youthful wife and children, several years before; wandering up and down the country in sin and misery, for all these years. The next morning after his experience at the mission, he sold all his belongings, bought a second-hand Ford car, and turned his face toward a sacred place over 1000 miles from here with the determination to do his best to make amends for his mispent life.

Thank God for the Hamlin Mission

—my only regret is, that there is not

such a work in every town and city.

Will you join me in prayer, that God may stimulate His children everywhere to take more interest in helping these unfortunates that daily wander up and down our streets.

We are glad to note that our old faithful co-laborer, Bro. Malone, will be back from his trip in Arizona, the last of the week; we are anxious to hear him preach again.

L. P. McCRARY.

FARM PROGRAM

PLANS UNDER WAY

COLLEGE STATION — Farmers who want to participate in the benefits of the new Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act but also want to go ahead with their planting while season is favorable without waiting for full details might do well to be guided by their last year's plantings, putting acres which were "retired" under the old program into soil building crops for 1936, according to Jack Shelton, vice director and state agent of the Extension Service, who has just returned from the regional meeting at Memphis called by the Secretary of Agriculture to help work ways out to put the act into effect.

"It is a soil utilization and soil conservation program and crops will be classified as soil depleting crops, soil conserving crops and soil building crops," Shelton stated. Cotton, corn, wheat and grain sorghums are our principal soil depleting crop in Texas and farmers in making plans will have to remember this fact. There will be no crop control program, the Secretary of Agriculture has stated, but for working out the details of administering the Act, a job which has been assigned to the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, recommendations made at the four regional meetings will be assembled in Washington and from these will be developed the program which will finally be sent to the country.

"It now seems that payments will be made directly to farmers based on the productivity of the land devoted to soil conservation; and that they will be made on proof of compliance," Shelton stated.

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Lard Mrs. Tuckers 4 Lbs. 53c
Carton 8 Lbs. 97c 10 Lbs. 55c
12 Lbs. 97c

Meal 20 Lb. Sack **39c** **Crackers** A-1
2 Lb. Box **17c**

COFFEE WHITE 3 Lb. Can **78c**
SWAN 1 Lb. Can **29c**

Peanut Butter Full Qt. **29c** **Mustard** White Swan
8-Oz. Jar — Each **9c**

Apple Butter Qt. Jar **25c** **Ketchup** 14-Oz.
Bottle

Grape Juice Qt. **29c** White Swan
WHITE SWAN Pint **17c** 12-Oz.
Bottle

Dressing BONNET Quart **26c**
BLUE 8-Oz. Jar **10c**

MACARONI SPAGHETTI Each **5c** **PORK & BEANS** 1 Lb. Cans **5c**

Salmon Tall Can **11c** **English Peas** No. 2 Can **10c**

Hominy Wapco No 2 1/2 Cans **10c** **Beans** CUT No. 2 Can **10c**

Corn No. 2 Cans 3 For **25c** **Kraut** Wapco No. 2 1/2 Cans **10c**

Toilet Tissue WHITE FURR 3 Rolls **18c**

Scotch Towels Roll **11c** **Laundry Soap** 6 BARS FOR **22c**

Coco Mothers 2 Lb. Box **18c** **Borax** 4 Boxes **12c**

Beans PINTOS 10 POUNDS **45c** **Matches** 6 Boxes **19c**

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Carl Jones, of Texas Tech at Lubbock, and his brother, Myron, of Portales, N. Mex., spent this week with Connie Drake in the Wise Chapel community.

W. L. Meeks and family went to Merkel Sunday to see Mr. Meeks' nephew, Mannie Barnes, who has been in the Baptist Hospital at Abilene for some time in a very serious condition. He is at home now, but is still in a serious condition with very little hope held out for him.

Mrs. W. R. Curry, of Oklahoma City, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. R. B. Wiar, of the Shell Station.

Misses Vincie and Nettie Bowen and Mrs. Dan Howard visited relatives in Strawn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Albritton visited relatives in Lamesa, Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Henry Littleton went to Lamesa Sunday, where Rev. Littleton preached in the First Baptist Church at the evening hour and assisted in a deacon ordination service.

Frown — I never thought you would get married. You always said marriage is a joke.

Looney — I still think it is, but the trouble is that the joke's on me.

ONION FIESTA

Onions form an important cash crop in the lower Gulf Coast area of Texas. Raymondville, Willacy County shipping center, will glorify them April 17, when the eighth annual Onion fiesta is presented as one of the Texas Centennial Celebrations.

One of life's strange complexes is that the fellow who knows how to do everything never has anything to do.

TATE LAX

That Famous Laxative BLOOD TONIC. TATE'S Liniment—TATE'S Tate-O-Rub. Ask your Druggist, WAGGONER DRUG COMPANY, "The Fussy Pill Rollers", (13—24 tp—1-24-7-3).

Adding Hardware

We are adding a line of staple hardware to our stock such as is in demand on the farm. We expect to round out our stock to where your hardware requirements can always be taken care of by us. Our stock is being bought this week and will arrive in the next few days

DON'T FORGET

THAT we will always trade for your horses, mules, cattle, hogs, maize, cottonseed or most any salable commodity you wish to trade for LUMBER, HARDWARE or IMPLEMENTS and that our place will be headquarters for most all kinds and classes of live stock.

We will put on a moving picture of ALLIS-CHALMERS ALL CROP HARVESTERS at the RITZ THEATRE from one to two thirty, after noon, Friday, April third. This show is entirely free and we urge all our farmer friends to see it. You will get some entirely new ideas in harvesting all kinds of grain, including maize.

D. C. Gibson—Lumber

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